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Title: Method and Apparatus for Performing an  
Accurately Sized and Placed Anterior Capsulorhexis

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In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2006, a response to which is due  
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